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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Reginald Godwin is ill at his home with the flu.

Otis E Evans spent the week end at Island Pond.

Raymond Chapman is employed at Ernest Blake's mill.

Mr and Mrs Guy Swan were in Berlin, N H, Saturday.

Lloyd Lowell has moved into one of H N Bradon's rents.

Mrs Marie Dustin has gone to Locke Mills for the summer.

Miss Frances Morrill is employed at the Bethel Savings Bank.

Jack McMillin was home from South Paris over the weekend.

Alberta McAllister of Albany spent the week end with Margery Rowe.

Mr and Mrs Syll LeClair are enjoying a week's vacation in New Jersey.

Napoleon Belanger of New Auburn, is visiting his son, Rudolph Belanger.

Mrs Josephine Whitman and Mrs Esther Brown were in Lewiston Monday.

Mr and Mrs George Lothrop and daughter spent several days last week at Auburn.

Mrs Jean Nolan arrived Tuesday after spending the winter at Ormond Beach, Fla.

Mr and Mrs Charles Reed are expected to arrive home from Ormond Beach today.

Mrs Agnes Swett of Errol, N H, was the guest of her mother, Mrs Irvin French, Wednesday.

Mrs A M Ireland of Lewiston, has come to live with her son, Elwood F Ireland and family.

Barbara Angevine, daughter of Mr and Mrs Ernest Angevine is confined with the chicken pox.

Mrs Andrew Cale of Berlin, N H, spent a few days the past week with Mr and Mrs Fred Hamlin.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Lapham were called to Rumford Monday by the illness of his father T L Lapham.

Miss Geraldine Pierce of North Paris spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs Simeon Keady and family.

Mr and Mrs Custer Quimby and children of Raymond, N H are guests of relatives in town this week.

Mrs James Monahan and daughter, Cynthia are spending some time with Mrs Jack McMillin and family.

Miss Mary Ford, daughter of Mr and Mrs Norman Ford returned to school this week after being ill with the flu.

Mr and Mrs Otis Evans are celebrating congratulations on the birth of a son born April 12 at Island Pond, Vt.

Stanley Davis, a student at the U of M, Orono, was an overnight guest Monday of his parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Davis.

The pumper crew was called out by a false alarm last Thursday evening. The fire was supposed to be at South Bethel.

Mr and Mrs John Anderson returned to their home on Chapman Street last Thursday after spending several months in Florida.

Mrs Kimball Ames is making a good recovery after undergoing surgery Tuesday at the New England Baptist Hospital, Boston.

Donald Croteau returned home Sunday from the Rumford Community Hospital where he had been a surgical patient five days.

Mrs E S Skillings, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs Helen Perkins has returned to her home at Northwest Bethel.

Mrs Harry Wilson and children, Barbara and Harry, returned to Bath Saturday after spending a few days with Mr and Mrs Kenneth Wright.

Mr and Mrs Edward Quinn and children, Mr and Mrs Robert Cilly and son, Rodney, of Island Pond were Sunday guests of Mrs Helen Perkins.

Mrs Leslie Ireland, Instructor of science at the New England Baptist Hospital, Boston, spent the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs Elwood F Ireland.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge will observe Past Nolle Grand's and Charter Members' Night at their regular meeting next Monday evening, which opens at eight o'clock.

Anniversary Sunday will be observed by Odd Fellows and Reheka's next Sunday. Members will meet at the hall at 10:30 and attend services in the Methodist Church.

Mrs Thomas J Brown of Newport, Vt, is visiting Mr and Mrs Norris Brown. Mrs Effie Akers of Natick, Mass., returned home Thursday after spending a few days at the Brown home.

Mr and Mrs John J Foster of Easthampton, Mass., formerly of Bethel, are announcing the adoption of a son, James Douglas Foster on April 26. The announcement states that Jimmie has blonde hair, blue eyes and was born June 2, 1946.

The Mother-Daughter Banquet of the Eleanor Gordon Guild will be May 14 instead of May 21st as planned. Next meeting of the Eleanor Gordon Guild will be May 7 at the home of Mrs Floyd Thurston. Members are to meet at Mrs Malcolm Mundt's for transportation at 7:20 o'clock.

MISS NELLE BURBANK

EDITORIAL

The abuse of the dump maintained by the Bethel Village Corporation on the Northwest Bethel road has reached another high point. This is not uncommon at the season when the dump is most used, but the abuse at this time is just as needless as ever. As may have been stated before in these columns, observance of the common unwritten rules of decency should go far toward maintenance of a fairly neat and orderly place for the disposal of most of the community's refuse. It is probably a comparatively small number of those using the dump who make the place a disgrace to the village and town, but a visit in that section will show the results of continued disregard of the other fellow's rights.

The practice of dumping loose paper is still the most objectionable infraction of the original rules of the Corporation dump. This has resulted in paper being scattered all around the neighborhood and lining the fences and hedges in a needlessly unsightly manner. This also creates a fire hazard which fortunately so far has caused no loss of great consequence. Leaving one's rubbish at almost any convenient point instead of throwing over the river bank is still too common, and is a definite reflection on the habits of our people.

A visit to this dump is usually most interesting and perhaps surprising in the way our neighbors behave. Some of the best folks you know do not hesitate to deposit their easily identified contribution underfoot at this place. It is noted that some of us persist in dumping over the bridge railing and by the roadside. Why do we do this?

GOULD ACADEMY 5th PERIOD HONOR ROLL

SENIORS—Honors: Nancy Barnard 1, Harlan Blake 4, Janice Bowman 4, Randall Foster 2, Jacqueline Macfarlane 1, Mary Plumer 3, Frances Vinton 4. Certificates: Carrie Angevine 4, Connie Beeken 2, Isabelle Bennett 2, Joyce Chipman 2, Mary Christie 5, Lawrence Clement 5, Stanley Cole 2, Margaret Davis 5, Lloyd Dickson 1, Roberta Gibson 5, Elizabeth Grandin 1, John Hawley 2, Robert Judkins 5, Shirley Lang 1, Millard Moors 5, Elizabeth Norton 1, Mary Perkins 4, Barbara Stearns 5, Myra Stickney 5, Sally Stowell 5, Donald Walker 5, Martha Waterhouse 2.

JUNIORS—Honors: Sally Adams 5, Martha Crocker 2, Ruth Judkins 5, Gertrude Penner 5. Certificates: Norma Bean 5, Gloria Cutting 4, LeRoy Dymont 3, Marvin Kendall 5, Lawrence Kendall 5, Grace Lentest 5, Neva Mundt 5, Michael O'Brien 5, Mark Rines 4, Edwin Swain 2, Harry Swan 5, George Terry 5, Evelyn Vinton 4, Louis Wood 5.

SOPHOMORES—Honors: Elizabeth Backus 1, Ruth Bumpus 1, Guy Emery 5, Eleanor Gurney 2, Richard Ireland 3. Certificates: Marilyn Adams 5, Rachel Brown 4, Irving Carver 4, Call Curtis 5, Arlene Garey 1, Uuno Hertel 4, Edward Heleko 4, Richard Little 4.

FRESHMEN—Honors: Mary Cross 3, Roland Kneeland 5, Merle Noyes 4, Charles Smith 5. Certificates: Marlene Anderson 5, Laura Bennett 2, Marguerite Cotton 5, David Kneeland 4, Richard Marshall 4, Linwood Nowell 4, Barbara Swan 5, Simone Thomas 1, Howard Waterhouse 4, Ann Waterman 3, Doris Wermenchuk 5, Caroline Olson 5.

LOOSE PAPER MUST NOT BE LEFT AT CORPORATION DUMP

The tire at the Corporation Dump last Thursday afternoon which threatened several homes and other property apparently was caused or aided in spreading by the loose paper in that vicinity. The Assessors of the Corporation emphasize the rule which has been in effect, though at times not enforced or observed, in regard to loose paper: All paper deposited on this dump must be securely tied in bundles or packed in cartons or boxes so that it will not scatter on the dump or river bank. It is hoped that citizens using the dump will bear this in mind when disposing of the winter's accumulation of rubbish.

Mrs Frank Nary is spending a few days in Boston.

RIVERSIDE FARMS

Dairy Products

A continuous service to Bethel Families for more than thirty years

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GOULD TRACKMEN WIN 67-50

EDMOND J VACHON TO SPEAK

ON IMPRESSIONS OF EUROPE

The Gould Academy Track and Field men opened the 1947 season with a 67-50 win over Fryeburg Academy here last Saturday. Jerry Davis proved a big factor for Coach Roderick's boys as he racke up 26 points with first in Broad Jump, High Jump, Discus and Javelin along with second places in the shot and low hurdles. Dick Ireland was a double winner for 10 points with wins in both hurdle races. For Fryeburg, Earle proved the high point man as he took first places in the pole vault and the 100 yard dash and third places in 220 yard dash and the broad jump for a total of 12 points.

The scoring in each event follows:

	Gould	Fryeburg
Shot put	4	5
High hurdles	5	4
Pole vault	4	5
Discus	6	3
100 yd dash	3	6
Mile run	3	6
440 yd run	5	4
Javelin throw	6	3
Broad jump	5	4
Low hurdles	8	1
880 yd run	5	4
High Jump	5	4
220 yd dash	8	5
Total	67	50

The summary: Shot Put—Won by Allen (F); second, Davis (G), third, Giles (G). Distance 38 ft. 3 in.

120 Yard High Hurdles—Won by Ireland (G); second, Hopkins (F); third, McKenzie (F). Time 18 seconds.

Pole Vault—Won by Earle (F); second, Blake (G); third, Melville (G). Height 9 ft. 4 in.

Discus Throw—Won by Davis (G); second, Hopkins (F); third, Wight (G). Distance 111 ft. 3 in.

100 Yard Dash—Won by Earle (F); second, Brown (G); third, Tripp (F). Time 10.8 seconds.

Mile Run—Won by R Eastman (F); second, Briggs (G); third, C Eastman (F). Time 5:01.7.

440 Yard Run—Won by Giles (G); second, Manchester (F); third, Tripp (F). Time 56.3 seconds.

Javelin Throw—Won by Davis (G); second, Daver (F); third, Adams (G). Distance 143 ft. 2 in.

Broad Jump—Won by Davis (G); second, Hopkins (F); third, Earl (F). Distance 19 ft. 5 in.

120 Yard Low Hurdles—Won by Ireland (G); second, Davis (G); third, Hopkins (F). Time 13:7 seconds.

880 Yard Run—Won by Briggs (G); second, R Eastman (F); third, C Eastman (F). Time 2:07.6.

High Jump—Won by Davis (G); second, Manchester (F); third, McKenzie (F). Height 5 ft. 6 in.

220 Yard Dash—Won by Brown (G); second, McGivern (G); third, Earl (F). Time 24.9 seconds.

GOULD TRACKMEN TRAVEL TO FARMINGTON

Coaches Roderick and Scott will take their charges to Farmington on Saturday for a meet with Farmington High. There is a possible third team entering, but as yet local officials have not been notified.

The Academy team got away to a fine start in their opening meet, with a 67-50 win over Fryeburg, and hope to make as good a showing against the Franklin County "roughnecks."

The Gould coaches have selected entries as follows:

100 yard dash: Brown, Ireland and Kain

220 yard dash: Brown, Farris-

ton, 440 yard run: Giles, Swan, Philbrick

120 yard High Hurdles: Ireland and Farrington

110 low hurdles: Ireland, Davis, Farrington

Mile run: Stinchfield, Van, Melville, Hertel, Jordan

880 yard run: Giles, Van, Swan

Pole Vault: Blake, Melville, Smith, McAlister

High Jump: Davis, Ireland, Giles, Foster

Broad Jump: Davis, Giles, Ireland, Foster

Discus throw: Davis, Wight, Patrick, McAlister

Shot put: Davis, Brown, Giles

Javelin: Davis, Allen, Wight

JOLLY WORKERS ENTERTAIN E BETHEL-LOCKE MILLS CLUBS

East Bethel's "Lucky Clover" and Locke Mills "Early Risers" 4-H clubs were recent guests of the "Jolly Workers" club in Bryant Pond. The latter club held its regular meeting before movies on "Freezing Fruits and Vegetables" and "The Tree of Life" were shown by Keith M Bates, county club agent. Folk dancing, games, and refreshments were enjoyed by the sixty-four club members and friends present.

ATTENTION

BIG RUMMAGE SALE

at GARLAND CHAPEL

SATURDAY, MAY 10th

from two till six

REAL BARGAINS

A. R. MASON & SONS

Tomato, Pepper, Cabbage

Petunia, Aster

Geranium, Portulaca

Cauliflower, Broccoli

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Greek Revolution Sets New Trend

Guerrilla Bands Instructed In Tenets of Communism

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

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WASHINGTON.—The Greeks had a word for it—the word revolution, I mean. It was antisocial, I believe, as nearly as I can transliterate the Greek alphabet.

But until very recently it meant something quite different from what it means in Greece today.

I won't attempt to telescope the history of the Hellenes back to

Helen of Troy, the first successful shipbuilder, who, we are told, launched a thousand ships, not by floating a war bond issue but on her face, as it were. But looking back only into the memory of our oldest diplomats, or even some of the younger ones, we are familiar with the program. It usually started with the "colonels."

It wasn't a too strenuous or blood-thirsty affair. A few colonels got together, They marched on the palace or the war department or the state department, had a few polite words, put their own cabinet in, shot off a few shots which damaged at most a few more or less innocent but curious bystanders and that was that.

But—there came a change.

The revolution which followed the "liberation" of the Greeks from Nazi occupation was quite a different matter. It didn't come from the top and work down. It came from the bottom and worked up.

The Allies had armed the "resistance," the Greek patriots who fought the Germans. But while the Allies poured in such material aid as was possible, just as they helped Tito in Yugoslavia, the Russians were pouring in something else.

Propaganda. The Allies learned, too late, the true physiognomy of the revolution which opposed the government. The "liberation" was

a revolt engineered and carried on by the enlisted men, not the high officers. And its leaders were com-

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were not fighting to establish a communist regime, but to overthrow an

imperialist junta. But they were organized and directed by Moscow-trained leaders.

Today there is a "revolution" in Greece. The majority of the so-called "guerrillas" are not Communists. They are fighting to establish (they think) a liberal Greek government. But all of their leaders are Communists. And the rank and file are being carefully and thoroughly indoctrinated in communism. They raid, they fight, they eat off the land, they use the weapons provided by the Allies. But out of each such fighting and eating day they take time out to go to school.

These schools are conducted

regularly from 10 to 12 and from

4 to 6 unless a battle or so inter-

rupts. In these schools the good

Greek patriots are being thor-

oughly instructed in the philoso-

phy of Karl Marx, Nick Lenin

and Joe Stalin. This is in record.

It is fact, not fancy. Mos-

cow would (unofficially, of

course), probably boast of it

rather than deny it.

Those who graduate with sufficient

communistic "honors" are appoint-

ed political commissars and at-

tached to each guerrilla unit.

It is easy to imagine what would

happen if these forces took over the

government.

Meanwhile, there is no objection

on the part of the agents of Moscow

to have the Greeks set up "collation"

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Basement Homes Solve Crisis

(This is the second in a series of stories showing how American ingenuity helped solve America's problems—the G.I.'s No. 1 headache—housing.)

"Children in Orphanages Because of Housing Shortage"—that was the headline on a story in the St. Cloud, Minn., Times—a story that went on to say: "Three applications were made this week by parents seeking admission for their children in the St. Cloud Orphan's home. The parents were unable to rent or buy living quarters. Rev. Jerome Blelejek, in charge of the home, said: 'This institution is no place for a child with a mother and father who can provide a home for him. Our principal objective is to care for dependent and neglected children and orphans. These children have not been neglected—except by society."

That was two years ago. It stirred the people of St. Cloud. They set up an emergency housing committee whose first action was to print a blank form to be filled out by people who needed homes. Within a few days, 200 families had registered—nearly 1,000 people with no place to live.

To take care of the most urgent cases, the town (population 24,000) obtained 100 trailers and set up two camps. Then it turned to the houses which were being built—very slowly because of the lack of material, particularly lumber. Also these houses cost more than meat returning vets could pay.

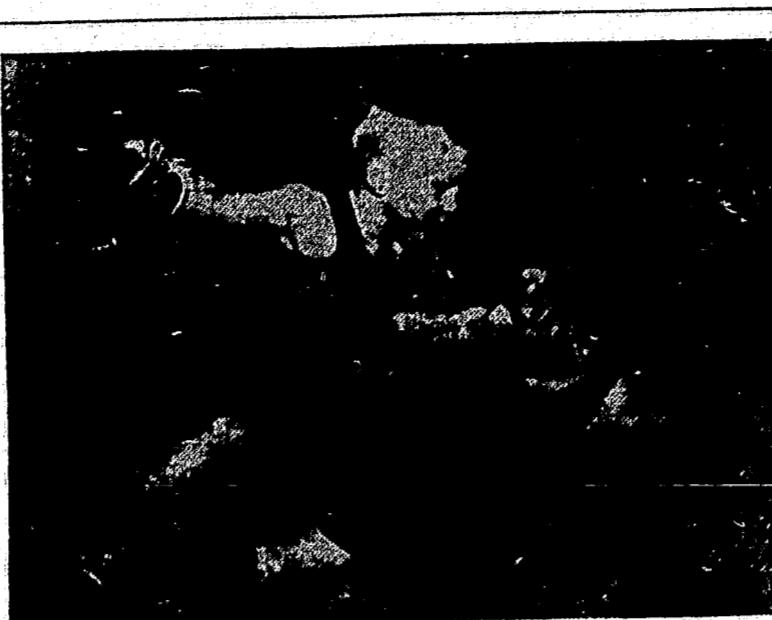
There is a concrete block plant in St. Cloud.

"Why?" Mayor Murphy asked himself, "can't we make use of that? Isn't there some kind of house we can build using concrete?" Why not basement houses?"

St. Cloud had used basement houses before—in the depression days of the early '30s, when people who couldn't afford to build complete houses built basements with the hope of completing the structure later.

This mayor agreed to underwrite the construction of the first five basement houses in October, 1945. Today there are 175 of them in St. Cloud.

The basements are approximately 20 feet by 30 feet, with concrete block or poured concrete walls, rising approximately two feet above the ground. Each basement is divided into two bedrooms, a living room and dinette, with a kitchen in one corner, and a bath. Some roofs have a small rise; others are flat, with tarpaper laid over what will some day be the floor of houses. The



FUTURE NAVY FIGHTERS . . . Navy men are right in there punching at an early age, as attested by this photo of two members of the navy junior boxing class (composed of sons of naval officers) at the 29th annual Annapolis Navy academy boxing championships.

NEWS REVIEW

Parley Still Deadlocked; Higher Prices Predicted

MOSCOW:
No Agreement

The conference between U. S. Secretary of State Marshall and Premier Stalin has achieved little or nothing, in the opinion of American diplomats in Moscow. The deadlock between Russian and United States delegations in the Council of Foreign Ministers seems no nearer to solution. Basic disagreements on the German peace treaty are too great, it is thought, for any easy or rapid agreement.

Meanwhile, there is no objection on the part of the agents of Moscow to have the Greeks set up "collaboration" governments—they have had nearly a dozen, all of which failed because the leaders of the various parties represented could not cooperate.

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It is clear a new national wage pattern is being formed, he said, and that business cannot meet higher wages and make price reductions at the same time. He admitted that lowering of prices is a "badly needed" change. Any enterprise that can absorb wage boosts without raising prices should do so, he advocated, but he added that few could do so. Burdenous taxes also prevent substantial price reductions, he said.

It is the price level of farm produce, not of manufactured goods, that is most out of line, Sloan declared. In all likelihood, he predicted, consumer resistance to high price in the perishable goods lines, particularly foods, will bring "a more or less serious decline in general business volume before final adjustment is made."

Main stumbling block in all the treaty negotiations is the Russian demand for huge reparations. If the Russians would retreat somewhat from their position, some arrangement might be worked out, it is admitted.

While there is considerable justification for calling this conference a failure, American diplomats point out that certain fundamental issues have been aired, and that Secretary Marshall has had an opportunity to present American policy to Russia and the world.

HIGHER PRICES: Sloan Says So

Still higher prices are coming soon, according to one of the top-flight business executives of the country—Alfred P. Sloan Jr., chairman of General Motors corporation.

In a speech before the Economic club of New York, Sloan blamed demands of union laborers for wage increases.

TEXAS CITY BLAST: Chaos Prevails

The explosion of the French freighter Grandeamp in a slip in Galveston bay, Texas City, Tex., was followed in rather fast order by explosion of the freighter High Flyer, as well as other explosions. Both ships were laden with tons of ammonium nitrate.

It may be weeks before any reliable facts can be secured—even as to the origin of the first blast. Hundreds lost their lives, the injured may reach thousands, and property damage of millions is certain. The loss to the Monsanto Chemical plant, in immediate vicinity of the initial explosion of the French vessel, will reach 20 million dollars.

Prompt assistance by state officials, federal authorities and Red Cross units as well as Houston, Galveston and other Texas freighters and police, the cooperation of air lines, railroads and doctors, nurses and ambulance workers, prevented the loss in life from reaching several hundred more.

A few hours after the first blast

Texas City was the scene of chaos.

Ten fires sprang up within a few hours.

The concession wrecked buildings in the center of town, and fires completed the destruction of many sections of the industrial city.

The residential section was about the only section not leveled. Homes and buildings in Houston, Galveston and other cities were thrown open to the evacuees, who wandered around in a daze. The shock was felt 10 miles away and the fire could be seen for 100 miles. Even airplanes exploded in the air.

Atomic Control Possible Now

Article 51 of the United Nations charter provides a basis for possible compromise on an atomic energy control plan which bypasses the veto problem.

If it could be agreed that illicit production or storing of fissionable materials constitutes evidence of intent to commit armed attack, then nations could automatically, once a violation had been certified, proceed to take enforcement action without waiting for explicit Security Council approval," points out Dr. Fox.

TO OFFSET EXPORTS

Record Wheat Crop Forecast

WASHINGTON.—Although wheat stocks in this country have been drained to extremely low levels by record-breaking movement of grain and flour to war-ridden European countries, prospects are that the 1947 production will be sufficient for all home needs with some to spare, it is revealed in a department of agriculture report.

The winter wheat crop is expected to hit a record of 873,047,000 bushels while the spring wheat crop is indicated at 265,000,000 bushels in present crop prospects. This output, the department indicates, is ample to care for all needs despite the carry-

over of only 140,000,000 bushels on farms as of April 1.

Although exports of flour and raw grain were the primary factor in creating the low old crop stocks, high prices served as another factor in inducing farmers to sell their grain.

Federal grain officials also were un-

perurbed over reduced farm stocks

of oats and barley, primarily be-

cause of a substantial increase in

corn stocks, compared with a year

ago, and the fact that the corn is of

much better quality than in 1946.

Winter wheat was seeded under

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Bugs in the Budget

Did you know that income of the federal government for the next fiscal year will be nine times, maybe ten times, what it was in the boom period of 1929? It will be at least seven times the receipts the federal government had in 1939. Weak nation it would be, indeed, that could not balance a peaceful budget with the receipt side of the ledger at enormous peace-time highs.

Just to balance the budget during boom times, however, is not enough. We must retire debt and reduce taxes. Looking at another angle, the federal government wants to spend more than four times as much as it did in any year of the Thirties, when deficit spending was in the habit-forming stage. Has it now become fashionable for our government to spend all it can get? Have we forgotten that the more we spend the more we shall have to tax?

Pet Projects

If we cannot, under favorable conditions of high employment and trade, get hold of ourselves long enough to retire our national debt and cut our taxes, at what future time do we expect to do so? Is our budgeting so out of hand that Congress cannot gain control over it? Or is the public thus unwilling of the trouble we're in for under a tax load required by the spending of \$37,500,000 annually.

Both the President and the Congress have given evidence of honest desire to keep the expenditure side of the budget down. But the pressures that are applied from every direction call for spending more money. As a people, we shall have to exert great moral fortitude at this time if we expect an about-face in a spending philosophy grown almost traditional. We need not complain to the government for being spendthrift, if at home we insist upon being spendthrifts about our pet projects. Economy begins first at home.

Examining Everything

Although the war has been over nearly two years, your government wishes to spend more in the next fiscal year alone than was spent during the whole of World War I. Of course, this is a dangerous era, and no one wants to hamstring our national defenses. The whole nation wants the occupation program to succeed. But more efficiency and the least possible waste of manpower and money should be the order of the day.

As late as November the War and Navy Departments were still employing more than a million civilians. Spending in every department, military or non-military, should be studied carefully. Everyone knows it is easier to keep on spending government money than to retrench. This is just as true of the national defense. Despite warnings of what may happen, Congress will do well to examine these expenditures.

Trimming down expenses is not an easy task for Congress. Small's progress will be made unless the people make themselves heard. A big and wasteful budget now, carrying with it a tax penalty upon the enterprise of the people, could do much to start us down hill toward the kind of economy Russia has. Most Americans, I believe, would rather be allowed to spend their own money than have the government spend it for them.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

Mrs. Ellen A. Briggs
Mrs. Ellen A. Briggs died at the Paris Nursing Home early Sunday after a long illness. She was the widow of George Linneous Briggs and was born in Bethel, March 21, 1874, the daughter of Samuel and Joanna Curtis Estes. Four children: Henry Briggs and Mrs. Max Jilson of Auburn, Marshall and Donald of West Paris survive, also two brothers, Alvin of Norway and Samuel of Auburn; also nieces, nephews and cousins. She was a member of the Methodist Church, Onward Rebekah Lodge and West Paris Orange.

Funeral services were held from the J. W. Andrews funeral home, South Woodstock, Rev. Eleanor H. Fodder officiating. Interment was at Wayside Cemetery. The bearers were members of the family. Those attending from away were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Briggs, Mr. Max Jilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Fredricka Briggs, Mr. and Arthur Fodder all of Auburn, also Mr. Frost and son of Auburn.

Mrs. Emily Helkkinen is a patient.

NO STEPCHILD

A short while ago, the House and Senate of the State of Indiana adopted one of the most remarkable resolutions ever proposed before a legislative body. It was dramatic reaffirmation of those principles of local independence and local responsibility that have been so largely forgotten under a philosophy which would have the federal government do everything—and pay for everything.

Here, in part, is what the resolution said: "Indiana needs no guardian and intends to have none. We Hoosiers—like the people of our sister states—were fooled for quite a spell with the magician's trick that a dollar taxed out of our pockets and sent to Washington will be bigger when it gets back to us."

We have taken a good look at and dollar.

"We find that it lost weight in its journey to Washington and back. The political brokerage of the bureaucrats has been deducted. We have decided that there is no such thing as Federal Aid. We know there is no wealth to tax that is not already within the boundaries of the 48 states."

"So we propose henceforward to tax ourselves and take care of ourselves. We are fed up with subsidies, doles, and paternalism. We are no one's stepchild. We have grown up. We serve notice that we will resist Washington, D. C. adopting us."

Here is the unanswerable case against super-government. Here is the final argument against having the Federal bureaucracy rake our parks, construct our swimming pools, pay our old-age pensions, lend us money, and do all the rest of the things it has been doing. Every nickel that is spent must come out of our pockets—and added to it must be the immense costs of political administration and spoilsmanship. The Indiana legislature has simply restated, in plain words, the doctrine on which this nation was built. And it is the only doctrine that can keep this nation strong and intact in the years to come.

**CONGRESS CAN'T SEE
THE FOREST**

There is an old French proverb which concerns man's inability to see the forest because of the trees. That has happened to Congress in its dealings with proposed labor legislation. It sees the need for handling details of the problem, such as the jurisdictional strike and the secondary boycott. It certainly has almost completely missed the one great basic issue—which is the closed shop.

So long as the closed shop exists, labor abuses will exist. So long as the closed shop exists, the tyrannical power possessed by ruthless union heads over union members will exist. So long as the closed shop exists, men who do not wish to pay tribute to a union, and men who do not agree with policies laid down by a union, may be turned out of their jobs, by union edict to the employer.

Senator Ball, who is certainly no enemy of labor nor friend of rapacious capital, summed up the issue when he said: "The closed shop in American industry is about the most reactionary and unliberal institution that we have ever developed... If a man isn't free to earn a living by working, and his freedom aren't likely to last very long."

It has become an established principle that every man shall have the right to join a union if he so desires—and that the employer shall not tamper with that right under pain of severe penalties. It must become an established principle that every man shall have the right not to join a union if he so desires and still keep his job—and that any labor group which tampering with that right shall be subject to equal penalties. A government which protects workers against the abuses of industrial management but does not protect it against the abuses of union management is doing only half the job. That is the real labor issue which confronts the country now.

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Makes Headlines



MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Augustus Carter, Correspondent
Mrs. Augustus Carter was home from Auburn over the week end. Richard Lawrence spent the week end at his home at Greenwood.

Birthday Parties

Thomas and Timothy Carter were given birthday parties by their mother, Mrs. Richard Carter, last Thursday. Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served. Those present were Elizabeth and Gertrude Waldron, Bunn and Bobby Blake, Bing, Buddy, Marie and Beverly Noyes, Harry and David Johnson, Buddy Conner, Billy Penner, Joan Ward, Evelyn Winslow, Alvin and Ruth Stevens, Ann Carter, Brian Scorthorne, Bobby and Jean Shepard and the guests of honor, Thomas and Timothy Carter. Those unable to attend were Teddy Carter, David Myers, Judy Myers and Joan Roderick.

Showers

A shower was tendered Mr and Mrs Raymond Buck at their home Saturday evening. The couple received many gifts. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, cookies and ice cream were served. A wedding cake was presented them by Mrs. Augustus Carter. Those present were: Mr and Mrs Rodney Howe, Mr and Mrs Harold Bartlett, Leo Arsenault, Mrs. Augustus Carter, Mr and Mrs Richard Carter and sons Thomas and Timothy, Mr and Mrs. John Carter, Mrs. Donald Johnson, Mr and Mrs Richard Stevens, Mr and Mrs Pierre Thomas, Mrs Hoyt Gunther and children, John, Fatsy and Howard, R. P. Sanborn, Harry Sanborn, Mr and Mrs Frank Hunt Jr., Mr and Mrs Willis Ward, Mr and Mrs Ronald Stevens, Mrs Fannie Carter, Mr and Mrs Paul Carter, Mrs Grace Buck, Marvin Buck, David Buck, George Brown, Mr and Mrs Orlando Jordan, Miss Bertha Jordan, Arnold Jordan, Mr and Mrs Curtis Winslow, Evelyn and Duane Winslow, Lawrence Winslow, Mrs. Georgia Jordan, Ansley A. Jordan, George Flanders, Mary Dunham, Bessie Dunham, Alberta Dunham, Ruth Dunham, Bertha Flanders, Mrs Edna Morse, Roland Dunham, Ted Dunham, Mr and Mrs Richard Jordan. Those who sent gifts but were unable to attend were: Mr and Mrs H. S. Stanley, Mr and Mrs Roger Foster, Mr and Mrs Clyde Brooks, Mr and Mrs Richard Day and Stanley Carter.

Mrs. Donald Johnson and sons, Buddy, Bobby and David, returned to their home at Arlington, Mass., Sunday after spending a week with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. H. Carter.

A truck driven by Jim Farwell left the road below Harold Bartlett's Sunday. No one was injured.

GILEAD

Raymond Holden went to Gilead, N. H., last week, where he will be employed by the U. S. Forest Service for the summer.

George Sawyer and family of Portland spent the week end at their cottage on Lary Brook.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Michaud, who have been occupying the A. J. Blake house the past eight months have moved into the Mildred Carton rent in the village.

Mrs. Florence Holden was in Gorham, N. H., Thursday, the guest of Mrs. Carrie Wheeler.

Floyd Mason and Fred Wight were business visitors in South Tuesday.

Lawrence Robertson is enjoying a two weeks vacation from his duties on the G. T. R. section, Joseph Lapointe of Berlin, N. H., is taking his place.

Fred Goodnow was a visitor in Berlin, N. H., Tuesday.

Tony Bergeron of Berlin, N. H., has employment on the G. T. R. section here.

Joseph Billedeau is seriously ill at the Berlin hospital.

Virgil Curtis underwent surgery at the Rumford Community Hospital last Friday.

Mrs. Leslie Noyes and daughter, Carolyn, have been ill this week.

NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. L. E. Wight, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Frank Bennett, who have been spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Madeline Turbide and family in Rumford, returned to their home in Newry Sunday.

Rev Ernest Richard of Mexico, Me., will be the speaker at the Men's Club and supper, at the Grange Hall, Newry Corner, Wednesday night, April 30th.

Mrs. Samuel Smith is ill at this writing.

The annual Sugar Eat and dance will be held at Grange Hall, Newry Corner Friday night, May 2nd. Music will be furnished by the Snow Valley Boys of Andover.

Sunday, May 4th, Church Services will be at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

L. E. Wight and Wm F Walker are making some needed repairs at the Grange Hall this week.

Mrs. L. E. Wight returned from Rumford Saturday night after spending the week at the home of her son, Daniel Wight, assisting with the work and care of the children while Mrs. Wight is in the hospital.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Mrs. Florence Curtis is ill at her home.

Mr and Mrs Granville Burns of Norway were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs S. B. Newton.

Mrs. Florence Hastings is substituting in the intermediate grades for Miss Cole who is ill.

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FC STANWOOD G. BROOKS, son of Phillips Brooks of Broad Street, Bethel, is now stationed in Heidelberg, Germany. He enlisted in 1944 and expects to remain in foreign service until the termination of his enlistment. His address is FC Stanwood Brooks 11076519, B. Troop, 17 Cav Recon, Sedn., Care Postmaster, New York, N. Y., APO 403. He writes that the city of Heidelberg was fortunate in escaping the Allies' air blitz suffered by so many German cities and that its charm and scenic beauty is preserved practically intact. He attended Lewiston High School and prior to his enrollment was employed by the Lewiston Bleachery.

THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

I just been readin' an "apple-cart up-setter." The piece bores holes in the bottom of the boat of the boys who been sayin' the Govt. should take over this business or that business, and let the people have the profits.

Bishop Riccio is in the Pacific Rural Press. It says he and many others have concluded that the street car situation in San Francisco is the worst in the U. S. A. — and the grand jury also says and recommends, a return of the street cars there to private ownership—where efficiency it says, has not been tossed out the window.

I would feel half-way sorry for those 2 listed folks there in that old town with its rip-snarin' roarin' reputation for hardness, for being took-in by this pinchin' idea of City ownership—with easy profits. With the old roulette wheel, those native sons had almost a 50-50 chance—they should have stayin' with same. They know it now.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA

APTOM

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent
Fred S. Judkins went to Bryant Pond Sunday and got his family. His wife and young daughter, Judy, have been staying with her parents. Mr and Mrs Lester Hathaway for a week since leaving the Rumford Community Hospital. Fred II has been with his grandparents for two weeks.

Mr and Mrs Orville Davis and daughter, Sandra, of Mechanic Falls, spent the week end at their camp.

Johnnie Robbins and others of Harrison spent the week end at his camp on Mill St.

Mrs. Jennie Barnett and son, Donald, returned to Berlin Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Barbin and family of Berlin spent Sunday at their camp. They had to walk in on the trail by Durkee's, as the lake is not yet open.

Alan Fuller was home from Berlin Sunday.

A grass fire close to Orvis Powell's barn called out all the available men in town a few days ago. No harm was done.

A Parish meeting was held at the schoolhouse on Monday evening, April 21. It was voted to have an assistant minister during the summer.

Malcolm Barnett of Rumford was in town two days last week to help his mother get her furniture unpacked and settled at the Abbott House.

Miss Ruby Enman is staying at the Abbott House with her grandmother, Mrs. Ben Barnett.

Word has been received that Mrs. Lee Abbott, formerly of this town is in the Bangor Hospital for appendicitis.

Mr and Mrs Cleo Brown and daughter of Portland were weekend guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs. W. L. Brown.

Mr and Mrs John Angevine and,

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May A. D. 1947, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Nello Burbank of Bethel, ward; First account presented for allowance by Beasle F. Soule, guardian.

Minnie Littlefield, late of Albany Township, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Fred R. Littlefield, administrator.

Walter H. Billings, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Edward A. Billings as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Edward A. Billings, half-brother.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven.

BARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register 29

daughters, Agnes and Helen, attended the gym meet at Gould Academy, Friday evening last week.

Helen Angevine is working for Mrs. Bertha Judkins for a few days while Esther Collins is home.

Mr and Mrs Lyman Lane attended the gym meet at Gould Academy Friday evening last week.

East Bethel School News

Sonia Swinton has a new permanent. It looks very nice.

Robert Coolidge and Gary Smith went fishing and caught 13 trout.

They like to go fishing.

Keith caught a fish ten and one half inches long.

We thought up a new game. The name is bucket ball.

Miss Cole is sick at her home in Standish. Serene Coolidge came home from the C. M. G. Hospital Tuesday, April 22. We gave her a sunshiny box Saturday. She was avulently pleased.

Ann Newmarker came back to school Monday.

We are going to have company Tuesday. We like to have company.

Phyllis Coolidge had a sore throat and did not come to school Monday.

Porter's brother, Richard, came and visited school Friday afternoon.

Sandra Olson had pretty curls Monday. She always has pretty curly.

Ann Hastings has a new dress. It looks very nice.

Phyllis Coolidge came to school Tuesday. We were glad to see her.

Reporter, Arlene Coolidge

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Kathleen Norris Says:

The Family Trouble-Maker

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features



"Duncan is probably perfectly aware of the situation. Margaret may have told him the truth long ago."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

NO WOMAN is more annoying and less popular than the smug and super-virtuous woman who feels that she must break up other women's lives and destroy other persons' happiness to save her own consciousness.

It's a peculiar sort of conscience that forces its owner to interfere in everybody's business, and make trouble for which she has neither solution, nor pity, nor cure.

Such a conscience is evidently possessed by Mrs. Alvin S. of Philadelphia, who writes me that she feels in duty bound to destroy her son's confidence in his young wife and very possibly break up their marriage.

For the first four pages of her letter she tells me how carefully she herself was brought up, how admirable her home and her parents were, how blameless her own young life. True, she divorced Duncan's father, because he became, when drunk, "completely impossible"; but her friends all agreed that she was entirely right about this, and she went on her compunction way, making a lovely home for Millie and Duncan, her daughter and son. Millie is married and has two little girls; Duncan and his wife, Margaret, waited 10 years for their first baby, and after the war adopted a little boy who is now four, and adored by both parents. Since then a baby girl has been born to them; this child almost cost Margaret her life, and there can be no more children.

Up to this point all has gone well. Duncan had a fine record in the navy and is remaining in the service. Even his mother was pleased with the state of affairs; with the pretty wife, "though from a rather humble background," she writes, the successful son, the beautiful adopted child, and now the small daughter.

Shameful News for Son.

"But an agony of shame awaits my poor dear boy," writes the older woman. "Margaret was a nurse during the war and for some months was away from home, in a service hospital, we all imagined. Fancy my consternation upon learning, from a chance remark dropped by a quite unsuspicious outsider, that the child Margaret and Duncan have adopted is Margaret's own, the father a young officer who was killed in the very last weeks of the war. That his dear bereaved mother is an old family friend, and that he was my boy's close friend, makes it all the more terrible. Margaret and this man carried on their affair under our very eyes, without arousing suspicion anywhere, and when the time came, she simply went away, on an excuse that we all accepted without question, had her baby, left it and came home to talk Duncan into consenting to an adoption, and has lived this hideous lie ever since.

"I did not take the word of a mere acquaintance on this; I went secretly to the town where it was said to have taken place, and verified every detail. Since then every word and glance from my boy has put me like a knife. I cannot continue to join his wife in this tissue of deceptions. How best can I break this news to him and should I talk first to her? I have never been party to an untruth in my life; I cannot begin now. At any cost

VICIOUS MEDDLING

The self-righteous busybody is almost universally disliked. When she stirs up trouble in her own family, without any possible good end in view, she is a vicious, detestable creature.

Mrs. Alvin S. of Philadelphia thinks she ought to tell her son that his wife has been unfaithful. The baby boy that they adopted is in reality her child—and his father was one of Duncan's best friends. It happened during the excitement and loneliness of war, when Margaret was away as a nurse, and Duncan in the navy.

Everything is all right now, at least on the surface. Margaret and Duncan are back together, and seem happy. They have another child now, a daughter. There is no real cloud on their horizon excepting this scandal. Nobody knows it but Mrs. Alvin S. All she has to do is to keep quiet, Miss Norris says. Probably Duncan knows the truth. If he doesn't, it will do him no good to find out.

I must clear the sky of this dreadful cloud, praying with all my heart that in the end only good can come of it."

Smug, Jealous Woman.

That the self-satisfied little writer of this letter was smacking her lips over it, and over the situation, is so obvious that I will not answer her at all. Whatever I said, she would not be deterred from her smug and steady course. Deep at the root of her position is jealousy. Jealousy of the son's happiness that depends so little on her, and of the younger woman who has managed to bring her life into line. Margaret perhaps has paid bitterly already for her sin against Duncan; perhaps her relationship with the other man was the result of only one reckless lonely mood. Or perhaps, because he was Duncan's friend, it was easy for her to love him for a while. Whatever it was, she paid when she bore in pain and loneliness that child who is not Duncan's, when she parted with her baby—she who had so long been hungry for a baby. That she could arrange to adopt this baby doesn't entirely relieve the burden of fear and shame on her heart. He is not the loved little son of the man he calls "Daddy," and someday he will have to know it.

Why such a woman should feel it her sacred duty to wreck Duncan's and Margaret's and the children's lives must always be a mystery to any really generous, really fine woman. There is no real love in the heart of a mother so cheerfully, resignedly bent upon doing her duty. There is no sincerity in her whole attitude.

No, I won't advise her. But what I suspect is that Duncan is perfectly aware of the situation, that Margaret has long ago told him the truth, and that when his mother breaks the sad tidings all she will get is a sharp snub. Anyway, I hope so.

Woman Heads College

Miss Ruth Haas, president of the Danbury State Teachers College in Connecticut, is the first woman ever to be a college president in the state.

In ceremonies in the high school auditorium, Miss Haas was installed in her new office by Dr. Alonso G. Grace, state commissioner of education. She has been dean of the college since 1931.

In accepting her new post, Miss Haas declared that the nation's most critical need was for wiser, more broadly educated teachers.



The "advised" skid is her own . . .



Meat Makes Fine Main Dish Salads

(See Recipe Below)

Spring Salads

"Most women know how easy it is to whip together a salad," said my next door neighbor. "Why don't they think of using a meat or fish salad to make spring lunches easy?"

Naturally I agreed with her wholeheartedly, and promised to remind my readers of this thought now that the weather is becoming warmer. What is better when you've been hanging out clothes or gardening, than coming in to lunch on a crisp, chilled salad? You know you can slip the salad together before you start the morning's work and place in the refrigerator until luncheon.

Protein is an important requirement of our body, whether we are young or old. Thus, it's wise to plan a main dish salad that makes use of one of the good protein foods such as eggs, fish, cheese or meat. But make it crisp and crunchy, too, using vitamin and mineral-laden greens right from the garden.

Veal Salad.

(Serves 6)

2 cups cooked macaroni
1 cup celery, chopped
6 sweet pickles, chopped
6 sliced radishes
1/2 cup cucumber, sliced
3 tablespoons green pepper, chopped
2 1/2 cups diced, cooked veal

Mix salad ingredients. Toss together with just enough mayonnaise to moisten all ingredients thoroughly. Serve cold on crisp greens.

(Note: If desired, roast leftover or stewed veal may be used.)

Potato Salad.

(Serves 6)

6 new potatoes, sliced
6 slices uncooked bacon, diced
1 small onion, minced
1/2 cup vinegar
1/2 teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
1/2 cup sour cream

Boil potatoes in their skins until tender. Peel and slice. Fry bacon until crisp; remove and brown onion in fat. Add vinegar, salt, pepper and sour cream. Add potatoes and bacon. Serve hot or cold, garnished with sliced tomatoes and wieners prepared thus:

Broiled Wieners.

8 frankfurters

8 slices bacon

1/2 pound American cheese

Mustard

Slit frankfurters, spread inside with mustard and insert strips of cheese. Wrap a strip of bacon around each frankfurter and place under broiler. Heat to brown and crisp the bacon and melt the cheese.

*Heartly Salad Bowl.

(Serves 6)

1 clove garlic
1 head of lettuce
1/2 bunch watercress
1 cup french dressing
1 cup celery, cut in strips
1 cup cooked ham or tongue, sliced
1 cup cooked chicken, sliced
1/2 cup Swiss cheese, sliced
1 cup cooked or canned pears
1 hard-cooked egg, chopped

Wash peppers, cut off tops and remove the seeds. Meanwhile cream the cheese until it is smooth. Put eggs, pickle and olives through a food chopper and add to cheese with mayonnaise and combine to make a thick paste. Pack this mixture into the peppers and chill for several hours. Slice peppers crosswise, 1/4 inch thick, and arrange several slices on lettuce. Serve with french dressing, if desired.

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Lynn SAYERS

Use Leftovers Well

If You Would Budget

If you have plain cooked macaroni, this can be combined with a number of leftover vegetables, hard-boiled eggs and used with mayonnaise as a main dish salad.

A simple entree to stretch leftover chicken is to combine it with bright peas, green pepper and pimento in a white sauce. Serve this piping hot over tenderly cooked golden egg noodles.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Hot Consomme Cheese Sticks
"Heartly" Salad Bowl Butterscotch Pudding
with Cream Ice Box Cookies Beverage
*Recipe given.

Rub salad bowl with peeled clove of garlic. Shred greens in the bowl and toss in with $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of dressing. Add remaining ingredients and remaining dressing. Toss well and serve garnished with the chopped hard boiled egg.

Jellied Fish Salad.

(Serves 6 to 8)

1 1/2 cups grated tuna fish or flaked salmon
2 shelled hard-cooked eggs, chopped
1/2 cup chopped, stuffed olives
2 tablespoons capers
1 tablespoon chopped chives or minced onion
1 tablespoon plain gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
1 1/2 cups mayonnaise
Lettuce or greens
Tomatoes, sliced or quartered
Avocado slices, marinated in lemon juice

Combine tuna fish, eggs, olives, capers and chives. Soak gelatin in cold water for 5 minutes, then dissolve over hot water. Add dissolved gelatin to mayonnaise, stirring constantly. Add to fish mixture and mix together thoroughly. Turn into a mold and chill until firm. Unmold on bed of greens and garnish with tomato and avocado slices. Serve with additional dressing, if desired.

Green pepper and eggs go together like bread and butter. You can chop hard-cooked eggs together with minced green pepper and use as the basis of a salad sandwich, or if you want to fuss a bit more you can make a pretty-pretty salad this way, when you invite your next door neighbor over for a spot of lunch.

Prepare this salad in advance and it will slice more readily.

Stuffed Green Pepper and Egg Salad.

(Serves 6 to 8)

2 medium-sized green peppers
1/2 pound cream cheese
2 shelled, hard-cooked eggs
1 sweet pickle
1/2 cup chopped stuffed olives
1/2 cup mayonnaise
Lettuce

French dressing

Wash peppers, cut off tops and remove the seeds. Meanwhile cream the cheese until it is smooth. Put eggs, pickle and olives through a food chopper and add to cheese with mayonnaise and combine to make a thick paste. Pack this mixture into the peppers and chill for several hours. Slice peppers crosswise, 1/4 inch thick, and arrange several slices on lettuce. Serve with french dressing, if desired.

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Use leftover vegetable juices in

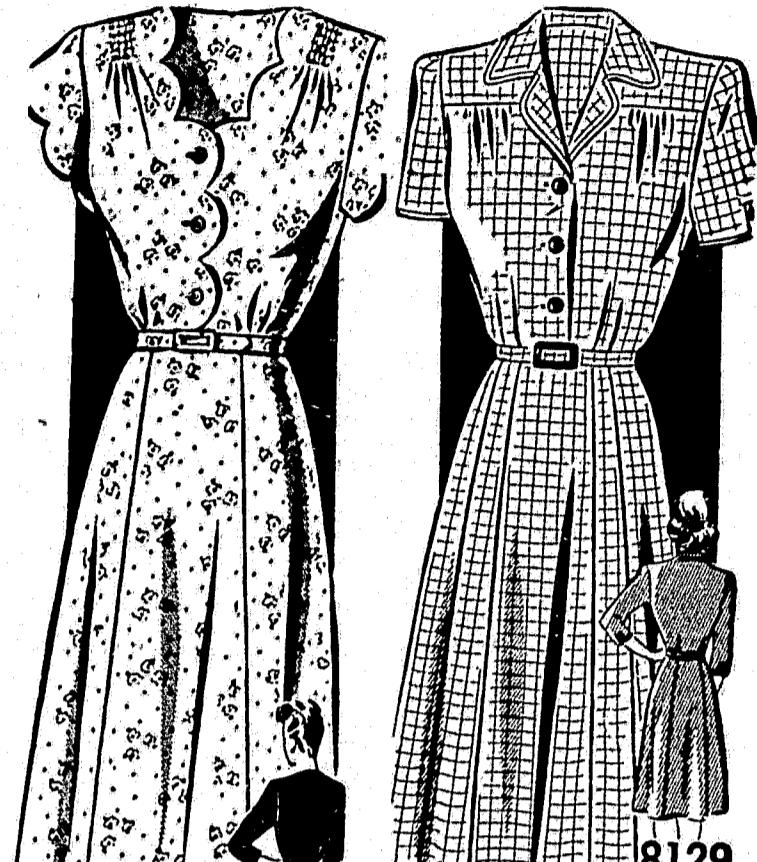
place of water in meat and vegetable dishes to utilize them.

When serving leftover ham casserole, add a novel note to the dish by using Chinese vegetables with it. This adds delicious variety to the meal.

If you have leftover wieners from the night before, slice them and add them to a sauce and serve over a nest of spaghetti. This nourishing dish is something the youngsters will like.

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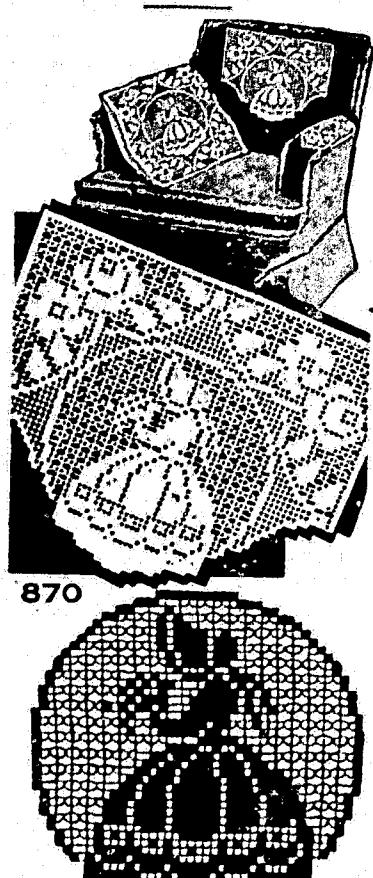
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It's Apple Blossom Time Again—Festival Is Attuned to Season

WNU Features.

WINCHESTER, VA.—Nestled in the grandeur of historic Shenandoah valley, Winchester will play host to thousands of visitors May 1 and 2 at the 20th Shenandoah Apple Blossom festival.

Held annually during apple blossom time, the festival offers two gala days of festivities featuring parades, band concerts, colorful pageants, street dancing and glittering ballroom parties.

Although the color and pageantry of the festival are the main lures, festival guests also take advantage of the occasion to browse around a countryside studded with historic sites. Long recognized as the apple capital of Virginia, Winchester also is rich in American history.

As headquarters for both the union and confederate forces, Winchester played a prominent part in the War Between the States. During the course of that strife, the town reputedly changed hands no less than 70 times. More than 100 Civil war engagements were fought within a radius of 25 miles of the town.

Among the military leaders establishing their headquarters here were Phillip Sheridan and Stonewall Jackson. Sheridan's ride from Winchester to Cedar Creek provided the inspiration for the poem, "Sheridan's Ride" by Thomas Buchanan Read.

High Battle Toll.

Indicative of the toll taken by various Civil war battles in the area, both a national cemetery and a confederate cemetery are located here. In the national cemetery are interred 4,491 union soldiers, of whom 2,381 were unidentified. The confederate cemetery, named for Stonewall Jackson, is the final resting place for nearly 3,000 soldiers from the 11 confederate states and Maryland and Kentucky. A tall shaft in the cemetery is the monument to the 22 confederate unknown dead.

In tracing its historic significance, however, Winchester can hearken back far beyond Civil war days. It was during the French and Indian wars after General Braddock's defeat near Fort Duquesne in July, 1755, that George Washington, as a lieutenant colonel, was given command of colonial forces on the frontier. Washington then built Fort Loudon at Winchester, maintaining his headquarters here in 1758-'57.

To the visitor whose interest is focused on scenic attractions, Winchester offers the charm and exhilarating springtime atmosphere of verdant Shenandoah valley as well as the world-ren-



In a colorful setting of blossoming apple trees, Winchester, Va., stages its annual Apple Blossom festival. Typical scenes include the queen's float, a school children's pageant and authentic mountaineer entertainers, as shown above.

nowned skyline drive, which in its 100-mile loop over the lofty crest of the Blue Ridge mountains provides a spectacular view of the valley below as well as of majestic peaks, imposing waterfalls and lush virgin timberlands.

Origin of the Apple Blossom festival dates back to 1924, when it was instituted as a local affair in connection with a drive to publicize historic Shenandoah valley.

Suspended from 1942 through 1945, the festival was revived last year and attracted more than 100,000 visitors to Winchester.

Parade is highlight.

Highlight of the two-day affair is a parade, heralded as one of the most colorful in America. Included

in the procession, lasting approximately two hours, are crack bands and bugle corps, smartly uniformed military school cadet corps, decorated floats, marching units and other features. Another dramatic spectacle is the torchlight parade staged on the first night.

"Our Heritage," a pageant of spring-time and depicting local historical events, is staged by approximately 1,000 Winchester school children as a highlight of the opening day's program.

Coronation of Queen Shenandoah, touts of the blossoming apple orchards, automobile races, fireworks display, receptions for the queen and her princesses, band concerts, street dances and the queen's ball are among other festival attractions.

BIRTH OF A NATION

Pilgrimage Honors Cape Henry Landing

WNU Features.

NORFOLK, VA.—In the picturesque setting of Cape Henry's sand dunes, close by where the waters of the Chesapeake meet those of the Atlantic, Virginians assembled last week-end to pay their respects to the memory of those pioneers of the London company who on April 26, 1607, landed at Cape Henry and gave thanks to God for their safe crossing to the new world. This historic event occurred 17 days before the pilgrims sighted the marshes of Jamestown island.

Patriotic and religious services were combined in the annual Cape Henry pilgrimage, which was led by Gov. William M. Tuck and Mrs. Tuck. During the ceremonies the 20th century honored the 17th and what Governor Tuck in his annual Cape Henry Day proclamation described as "that gallant band of Englishmen" whose heroism and faith resulted in the "firm establishment of our nation" and to whom "we owe a debt of everlasting gratitude for the establishment of our nation and freedom."

Cross Marks Site.

Principal feature of the pilgrimage was a Protestant Episcopal service at the base of the granite cross which marks the site of the first landing. The service was conducted by the Rev. William A. Brown of Portsmouth, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of southern Virginia, with W. Ludwell Baldwin of Norfolk acting as master of ceremonies. In addition to Governor and Mrs. Tuck, other distinguished guests included Sen. Harry Flood Byrd, who with Mrs. Byrd, as then governor and first lady of Virginia, led the first organized Cape Henry pilgrimage in 1926.

The pilgrimage is under sponsorship of the Order of Cape Henry, 1607, of which Mrs. Franz Taylor of Norfolk is president, and the Assembly of Tidewater Virginia, but Cape Henry Day has the effect of law in Virginia for the general assembly of 1940 by joint resolution designated April 26 officially as that day.

Virginia's governor traditionally leads the pilgrimage, but interest in it goes beyond the boundaries of the Old Dominion. Herbert Hoover, as President of the United States, made the pilgrimage in 1931 and expressed the opinion that the pilgrimage makes "a notable contribution to the maintenance of fine American tradition."

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Robert Hunt, their youthful clergyman, there held a service of praise and thanksgiving for the peace and calm of the god land of Virginia after their perilous voyage of four months across uncharted seas. One report has it that when the party moved on to Jamestown 16 settlers were left behind, at which time, if true, gives Cape Henry with our question priority over Jamestown.

In Historical Park.

Cape Henry, by an act of congress in 1938, is the only U.S. National Historical Park, which embraces Jamestown, York and Williamsburg. The park is in the reservation of the army's First Army and the cross, before which it is served, is conducted, is situated on a sand dune which was designated in 1934 by the war department as the first landing site. The cross was erected in 1935 by the national society, Daughters of the American Colonists. On it appears an inscription, written by James Branch Cabell, distinguished American novelist, which reads: "Here at Cape Henry, first landed in America upon April 26, 1607, these English colonists, who upon May, 1607, established at Jamestown, Virginia, the first permanent English settlement in America."

Close by is the first lighthouse erected by the United States government, and on that lighthouse is a tablet which reads: "Near this spot landed April 26, 1607, Captain Gabriel Archer Christopher Newport, Hon. George S. Percy Bartholomew Gosnold, Edward Maria Wingfield with 25 others who calling the place Cape Henry planted a cross April 26, 1607. Del grata Virginia Condita. This tablet is erected by the Association for Preservation of Virginia Antiquities April 29, 1896."

Cities Evidence.

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This is supported by the argument of W. H. T. Squires, the Virginia historian, who cites evidence of the unsealing of the royal box on the deck of the Sarah Constant off Cape Henry April 26.

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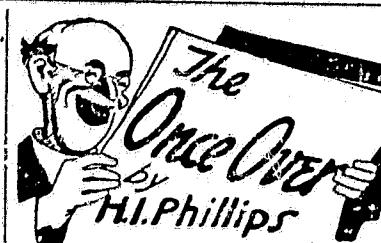
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It's All Done by Mirrors

Every day more business men join those calling for a cut in prices or else. For while they get a cheer from the consumer who is today just a fellow out to have his pockets vacuumed.

The death of O.P.A. turned out to be merely a signal to remove the roof and take away the life nets. And in some quarters a complaint now brings the reply, "Doncher know there's a PEACE on?"

You can get a boy's suit today for what it used to cost to clothe a male quartette, including extra pants. An adult's vest costs more than a spring wardrobe used to cost. If you go forth for hats, shoes and underwear you need to take along a financial agent.

The loaf of bread brings what strawberry shortcake used to command. Fancy bakers get \$1.50 for a pie. The man who used to give Junior a couple of cookies now puts a padlock on the cookie barrel at the approach of juvenile life. Our butcher charged us the other day for a lump of suet to throw to the birds!

A soup bunch now costs so much one often wonders whether a few orchids wouldn't be a better buy. If you are thinking of buying a cigar, hold everything! Thirty cents buys a sologic that the old-time nickel cigar maker wouldn't have used in an election campaign. They are even charging for those little packets of matches.

The \$10,000 that once built a substantial three-story house with plenty of nails, no chiseling on the cement and banisters that didn't come off in your hand, now gets you a bungalow that needs anchors to windward. You can put up a one-car garage for what a one-family house used to cost, with a barn in the rear.

If you want a new automobile the dealer makes it harder by a trade-in racket where he compels you to trade in your old car at a price that guarantees you a loss and him an extra profit. Gasoline is up to an all-time high. Nobody will wash a flivver for less than \$2.50, even if you bring your own water.

It strikes this department that the Ultimate Consumer is in greater need of protection than Canadian geese, American songbirds and wild life in general.

Depression? Bring it on! Prosperity is too complicated.

The latest horse movie is called "Stallion Road." There will, of course, be a "Son of Stallion Road." It is getting so a horse won't do a thing for a man these days unless the man can promise, "I can get you into pictures."

VERDICT
The trouble with the world today is too much ballyhoo. And what is needed most, I say, is a zipper for each buzzo.

Tom, the office cat.

The Old Routine

The draft has ended. We hear that General Hershey, the head man, will take a vacation, spending it playing the numbers game, looking at goldfish bowls in store windows, etc.

Listening to many of the radio comedians' scripts for the past month or two leads to but one conclusion: The writers are enjoying a big laugh at the expense of the performers.

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"Screen Writers Ask More Money," deadline, just in case their clients sue 'em for damages.

Four Base Hit Coming

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Use kitchen scissors for dicing fruit, celery, peppers, for trimming fish and cubing meat.

You may find it easier to iron a man's shirt in this order: Collar first, yoke, cuffs and sleeves, then back and front of shirt.

Sav buttons from old garments. String them in sets so that they will be all together when needed for other garments.

When painting stairs which are used every day, paint every other step and when they are dry, paint the remaining steps.

A good crack sealer for cisterns, tanks, etc., can be made by mixing boiled linseed oil with cement. Mix to a consistency of paint and apply with a brush. Sometimes a second coat will be needed.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister
Parish School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Adult Class, 12:00 noon

METHODIST CHURCH
William Penner, Pastor
9:45 Church School, Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent

11:00 Morning worship service. Sermon theme: "The Approach of the Church to World Affairs."

6:30 Youth Fellowship meeting at the Church. John Blackadar, senior at Gould Academy, will speak to the group.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday Services at 10:45 A.M. All are cordially invited to attend. "Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ Scientist, on Sunday, May 4.

ST. BARNABAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH Rumford

Rev. F. C. Lightbourn, Tel. 1029-N Sunday, May 4 (Fourth Sunday after Easter):

8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist 10:00 A.M. Church School Lessons (children remaining for greater part of Church Service)

11:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist and Sermon (No 2:30 Eucharist this Sunday).

Tuesday, May 6th:
7:30 P.M. Evening Meeting St Margaret's Guild (Parish Hall)

SHOWER FOR MRS. CUMMINGS

Mrs Murray Cummings (nee Helton) was guest of honor at a post-nuptial shower given just Wednesday evening by Mrs Robert Mills. Mrs Henry Robertson and Miss Carolyn Bryant at the home of Mrs Charles Keekle. The honor guest received many gifts and refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mrs Sadie Robertson, Mrs Pat O'Brien, Mrs Charles Keekle, Mrs Harry Chase, Colleen Bennett, Mrs Carey York, Miss Barbara Wilson, Miss Pearl Daye, Miss Betty Marshall, Mrs Robertson, Mrs Mills, Miss Bryant and Mrs Cummings.

Those sending gifts but unable to be present were: Mrs Roscoe Swain, Mrs Earlon Palmer and Mrs Kenneth Duck, Mr and Mrs Scott Robertson, Mrs Lee Hutchins, Mrs Richard Davis, Mrs Willis Ward, Mrs Roger Foster and Mr and Mrs Horace Smith.

SOUTH ALBANY

Stanley Pochnik began hauling feedspur last Monday, George Wentworth called at Roy Wardwell's Friday evening.

John Spinney has been cutting wood for Harry Spring.

Roy and Arthur Wardwell went up to John Mervin's Saturday afternoon after a load of hay.

Dr Greenleaf was called to John Spinney's recently to see a sick cow.

Ivan Kimball called on Ivan Kimball and family Sunday.

Ivan Kimball was at Roy Wardwell's Friday to have some boards sawed out.

People in this locality are having gripe colds.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all of my friends for the nice cards and sunshines sent to me during my stay at the hospital.

SERENA COOLIDGE

BORN At Island Pond, April 12, to Mr and Mrs Otto Evans, a son, Otto E. Jr.

MARRIED In St. Petersburg, Fla., March 6, Forrest M. Dibble of Bath and Miss Helen L. Folger, formerly of Bethel.

At Locke Mills, April 26, to Rev. Elizano B. Forbes, Richard Jordan and Nathalie Swett.

DIED

In West Park, April 27, Mrs Eliza A. Brink, aged 73 years.

In Portland, May 1, Mrs Nella Burbank, formerly of Bethel, aged 52 years.

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4-H STYLE DRESS REVUE AT SOUTH PARIS FRIDAY

The annual 4-H Style Dress Revue will be held on Friday evening May 4, in the Association Hall, South Paris, beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

This fashion show is one of the feature attractions in the county each year. Sixty one girls, both junior and senior club members are enrolled in the Revue and are anxiously awaiting this big event.

Senior girls will model either a wash dress, a wool dress, or wool suit. In addition, they must also make a slip to go with their dress or suit. Junior girls will model a cotton wash dress.

The highly talented Gould Academy band will be on hand to play before the first model appears on the stage. The stage scene will portray an early spring garden setting.

SUPERIOR GIRLS WIN IN GYM EXHIBITION FRIDAY EVENING

The girls gym meet under the direction of Miss Marion Stallwood was held Friday evening at the William Brigham gymnasium. The senior class won in competitive gymnastics, apparatus and advertising display. The judges were Elwood F Ireland, Robert Scott, Miss Verna Swift and Miss Norma Vose. Accompanists were: M. Joanne Perkins, Geraldine Linnell, Florence Pike, Jane Bean and Mrs Estelle Goggins. Gifts were presented to Miss Stallwood by Barbara Galbraith in behalf of the girls of Gould Academy and by Peggy Champa in behalf of the seventh and eighth grades of the grammar school.

The program included: advertising display; freshman gymnastics with Fannie Buckman, leader; dance club, Mary Plumer, Bethel. A large gathering of neighbors witnessed the demonstration. After the demonstration, a survey for a farm pond was made on the same farm. Many benefits may be realized from a farm pond, such as fire protection, stock water development, fish production and recreation for the family.

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